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Valve

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AMENDMENT D

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 1, 2006, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. No new matter is introduced by these amendments.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.

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AUTOMOTIVE COOLANT CONTROL VALVE

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Respectfully submitted,

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